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IS HERE IN FULLEST MEASURE FOR YOU
Our Entire Winter Stock at Less Than Half Cost Price. Act To-day!

Observe the Great Display in the Long Oval Windows!
The Sale Started off with snap and go TO-DAY--FRIDAY and SATURDAY, we'll be busier still. Don't miss this banner bargain bazaar. Look Prosperous!

Suits and Dresses.

Fine quality Taffeta Suits in Princess and Jumper style--were \$15.00.
Now \$7.95
Fine Quality Taffeta Suits, in princess and Jumper styles, were \$15. Sale Price \$7.95
Satin Princess Dresses, were \$30 Sale Price \$15
Panama Jumper Dresses, were \$12 Sale Price \$4.75
Newest Style Lingerie Princess Dresses suitable for evening wear, in white, pink, blue and lavender, were \$10 Sale Price \$4.50
Lawn jumper Suits, were \$5 Sale Price 98c

Coats, Skirts, Petticoats, Coat Sweaters.

Skirts made of Broad Cloth or Cheviot, were \$5 and \$10. Sale Price \$1.95
Skirts black, blue and brown, were \$7 and \$10. Sale Price \$4.50
Skirts, were \$15 and \$20 Sale Price \$8.90
Petticoats, best Heatherbloom, were \$2 and \$3 Sale Price \$1.29
Petticoats, best Sateen, were \$1.50 and \$2 Sale Price 95c
Silk Petticoats, were \$5 and \$6 Sale Price \$2.98
Coat Sweaters, were \$2.50 and \$3 Sale Price \$1.90
Children's Coat Sweaters, were \$2 Sale Price 95c
Cardigan Jackets, black only, were \$2 Sale Price 95c
Ladies' Blouse Sweaters all colors, were \$2 Sale Price 69c
Coats, Empire style, all wool chevots and Broadclothes, were \$15, \$20, \$25; colors, black, brown, navy and gray. Sale Price \$6.95
Fur Lined or Plush Lined Coats, Marten collar, were \$35 and \$40 Sale Price \$15.00
Misses' and Children's Coats in Chinchilla, Broadcloth and Cheviot, were \$10 and \$15 Sale Price \$3.75
Children's and Misses' Caracul Coats, red, gray, black and brown, were \$5 and \$8 Sale Price \$2.95
Children's Coats in mixtures and Broadcloth, were \$4 and \$6. Sale Price \$1.90

Waists Lowly Priced.

Taffeta Waists, Black, White and Stripes. Were \$5.00, now priced \$1.95
Taffeta Waists: black, white and stripes, were \$5. Sale Price \$1.95
Nuns Veiling Waists, were \$2 Sale Price 95c
Linen Waists were \$1.50 Sale Price 7c
Lingerie Waists were \$3 Sale Price \$1.70
Lawn Waists were \$1.25 Sale Price 38c

Millinery and Furs at Big Savings.

Children's Fur Sets, were \$1.25 Sale Price 49c
Children's White Sets, were \$3.90 Sale Price \$1.98
Misses' Sets, Brook Mink, Chinchilla and Ermine, were \$8. Sale Price \$2.98
Ladies' Sets, Mink, Marten, Squirrel, Persian Paw, 1-3 THEIR FORMER PRICE.
All of our \$1 and \$2 shapes 19c
\$2 and \$3 shapes Sale Price 49c
Trimmed \$3 and \$4 Hats Sale Price 98c
Hats were \$10 and \$12 Sale Price \$2.89
Hats were \$15 and \$20. Sale Price \$4.95
Children's New Style Felt Bonnets, were \$3 and \$4. Sale Price \$1.49
Bonnets were \$1.50 Sale Price 69c
Bonnets were \$1 Sale Price 2c
Children's School Hats and Caps, were \$1 Sale Price 28c

Plainly Marked Prices Tell the Wonderful Bargain Story.

GOTTLIEB & GORMAN CO., 1048 MAIN ST.

LOOK FOR THE LONG OVAL DISPLAY WINDOWS

THE STORE THAT GIVES
YOU VALUE.
Let Us Prove It To You.Alterations begin at once--we
need more room--stocks
must go.

SPORTS OF A DAY

JOHN L. SAYS
"SO LONG, TEDDY"An Incident Which Goes to Show "One
Touch of Nature Makes the Whole
World Kin."Jeffries Too Fat and Out of the Game
Too Long to Beat Johnson Says Former
Champion--Don't Think Much of
Negro's Ability.

Washington, Jan. 21.--John L. Sullivan, the ex-champion pugilist, called on President Roosevelt yesterday. He and the President have known each other for many years. As he was leaving the White House Sullivan said: "I won't see the President again before he goes to Africa, and wanted to bid him good-by. Did I give the President any advice? Oh, he don't need any advice. He can take care of himself. Am I going to Africa with him? I would like to do so, but he didn't give me an invitation and my modesty prevented me from intruding under the circumstances."

"Did you talk prize ring matters with the President?"
"No, I did not. He keeps posted on these things, as he does on other things. Oh, no, I don't think Jeffries has a chance to defeat Johnson. Jeffries is too heavy and has been out of the business too long. Besides he has put up a pretty hot pace in the little race of life since he left the ring, and that counts on a fellow. It did on me, and now I am living the simple life, determined to live to be 100 years old and to have a good time before I turn in my checks. No, I am not playing golf and don't take care of myself. It's all right for Mr. Taft to do it if he likes it. Taft's a fine man."

"As to the heavyweights, championship they will find a man to lick Johnson all right. He didn't make such a good showing after all with Burns. There are just as good fish in the sea as caught out. If Johnson is the fighter he is cracked up to be he should have disposed of Burns much quicker than he did."

"I am going to live to be 100 years old and will not leave the stage until people get tired of me. When they do I am going to take the little bit I have saved and get off to myself for a good time. They do say, though, that a fellow ought to have a good time while he is young, as he cannot when he becomes old."

POLO.

National Polo League Standing.
Won. Lost. P.C.
Pawtucket 23 25 461
Providence 23 24 518
Lynn 30 26 526
Fall River 29 28 559
New Bedford 28 28 560
Worcester 27 29 474
Brookton 22 34 398

GAMES TO-NIGHT.
Lynn at Providence.
Worcester at Fall River.
New Bedford at Brookton.

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.
At Worcester--Worcester, 6; Brookton, 3.

POLO CHALLENGE FROM WATERBURY

The All-Waterbury polo team is out to play any team or combination of teams in Bridgeport a series of three games for the inter-city championship. This challenge is issued through Manager Cronin of the Waterbury team. It's now up to the local boys to get busy and let us get a look at Cronin and his band of rubber amashers.

TOM TUCKEY AND
ED WALSH WILL
COACH YALE TEAM

New Haven, Jan. 21.--A forecast of the baseball season this spring including Yale, Princeton and Harvard, printed in the Yale News, to-day says that Yale is inferior to the others both in quality of the material and in the number of veterans remaining. While seven are lost from the Yale team, only five are lost by Princeton and two by Harvard. Fred Murphy is captain of Yale's team this year and among those who are expected to be on the coaching staff are Ted Jones, an ex-captain, Tom Tuckey, who will assist in coaching the pitchers, and Ed Walsh, the Chicago American pitcher to whom advances are now being made. The News says that while the graduate coaches are in charge they taught the players in the different positions every possible way to play, none of which coincided.

Merritt is considered as a possibility for pitcher. Badger at this time shows indications of making catcher timber. Deming second base and it is understood that if no better material is developed Murphy will play first himself in many of the games. Wheaton, Cronin and Murphy are all good fielders material.

SULLIVAN AS A PROMOTER

Offers \$75,000 for Johnson-Jeffries
Match.

An offer of \$75,000 for a match between Jeffries and Johnson has been made by John L. Sullivan, according to a statement made by the former heavyweight champion to-day. He said that he represented a number of men who are willing to put up the money for a contest between these two men.

"In the meantime," said Mr. Sullivan, "I am trying to find a good man to take Jeffries' place in the event that he will not re-enter the ring and I will find somebody." He added that the place for the fight has not been decided, but that San Francisco was under consideration.

NORWALK CLUB BOWLERS WIN

Teams representing the South Norwalk Club came to this city last night and played a series of three games for the inter-city championship. The result of the pool contests was a tie, at three games, but in the bowling the visitors won by four to two points. The scores in bowling are as follows:

NORWALK.
Nutting 192 176 152 620
Donahue 116 152 157 425
Javis 131 153 169 453
DeWitt 145 177 163 485
Callahan 175 163 128 469
Totals 759 821 768 2348

ALGONQUINS.
Stead 175 157 159 491
Beach 176 125 159 461
McCarthy 145 145 157 447
Callahan 123 154 128 405
Bowers 142 122 187 401
Totals 759 703 771 2233

The visitors returned after midnight enthusiastic in their praise of the hospitality of the local club men. The entertainment of the visitors was supervised by George T. McCarthy, chairman of the entertainment committee. Next week the local members will go to South Norwalk as guests of the visitors. Handsome silver coupe have been offered by the clubs as trophies to the winners of the series.

SIGNED BY SPRINGFIELD.
Fred Zavacky, formerly of Torrington, who played with the Winsted baseball team last season, has been signed by the Springfield state league team for the coming season.

OPE ABOUT
THE AMATEURS(By Dick Barrett)
Wonder what the Bridgeports are going to do with the Kimberly team from New Haven tonight?

It's time the Yannisians got wise to themselves and won a game.

Somebody said the "Dockrats" were dead and were lying under the Congress street bridge.

"Terry" Rogers will have a chance to referee, now the amateur games have started.

Will Reba have a show to play with the All Bridgeports this season, or will he have to stick with that "Terrible Bunch" from the wilds of the East End?

"Muddy" McCarthy will act as janitor tonight, while "Jock" Howell will be his first assistant.

"Tam" Gallagher will occupy a seat in the press box tonight, for he is working for the Bridgeport Star.

Hans Lund, one of the best local polo players, has signed a contract with the Clara Turner Co., now playing at Smith's theatre, to start next week in Danbury. He will take up the heavy parts. He's going to be a scene shifter. Hans learned the trick a few years ago while acting as program boy at Smith's. It is unnecessary to add that he will more than make good.

WHAT SHALL BE DONE WITH ANSON

Cleveland, O., Jan. 21.--"Pop" Anson won't be supervisor of National League umpires, as suggested by President Murphy, of Chicago. Harry Pulliam, President of the League, said here: "I would be glad to give Anson any help he may need, but I can't subscribe to Murphy's proposition to make the old Chicago captain supervisor of umpires."

"As president of the League I am responsible for the department of the umpires. I do not purpose to relinquish that personal relationship. The Chicago club's well afford to make Anson a scout."

WILL TRY TO BREAK
THE HATTERS' STRIKEManufacturers Will Use Strike
Breakers--To Set Date For
Reopening Tomorrow.

(Special from United Press.)
New York, Jan. 21.--The executive committee of the National Hat Manufacturers' Association will decide tomorrow the date for the opening of the factories closed by the strike of 25,000 union hatters. No overtures for peace have been made by either side and it is the intention of the manufacturers to open their factories with strike-breakers.

SECRETA MADE
AWAY WITH \$1240

(Special from United Press.)
Waterbury, Jan. 21.--First rumored at \$700, it became known today from a detailed statement of an investigating committee that the defalcations of R. E. Pearce, financial secretary of the Employees' Aid Society of the Waterbury Clock Company, that he had taken \$1240 from his fellow employees in eighteen months.

SMALL FINE IN
W. T. BURRY CASECharge Changed from Embezzlement to Theft and
Leweny Recommended To
Court.

The case of Schuyler Waterbury, charged with embezzlement, was changed to theft in the City court this morning and a fine of \$5 and costs was imposed by Judge Pullman. Waterbury was arrested a year ago on a charge of embezzling from the Easton, Cole & Burnham Co., and was released on a bond of \$150 which he forfeited. He supposed that the matter was ended, but the charge still stood against him and he was re-arrested in Stamford last week. He was represented by Judge Light of Norwalk this morning. Judge A. E. Beers appeared for the Easton, Cole & Burnham Co. and stated the position of his clients in the case. They did not care to prosecute Waterbury but wished to have the court understand that the charge still stood against him and that he could not escape it. Judge Beers recommended a small fine as the accused had already given up \$150 on the first bond. Judge Pullman fixed the punishment at a fine of \$5 and costs. It is presumed that Waterbury will be released from the city jail, but for a conference of the attorneys of both sides with Prosecuting Attorney DeLaney was held before the trial.

GLEASON WILL NOT BRING SUIT

J. G. Gleason who appeared at the emergency hospital with a broken arm, Monday night, is now at his home in Milford. He has not concluded to carry out his threat to prosecute Dr. H. W. Allen of the Connecticut Medical and Electric Institute. It appears that Gleason was not put out by Dr. Allen. The act was performed by Dr. C. L. Crooker, Jr., who simply led him outside the door and left him. He evidently slipped on the icy stairs. Dr. Ives did not see Gleason until he was called from his bed to look the man over in his cell. It was then that the broken arm was discovered and temporarily dressed.

NO JOB YET FOR THE CORONER

"Bert Lasher of New York," who signed a letter to Supt. Birmingham threatening to make a job for the coroner out of a young man named Grey whom he accused of insulting him twice, has not made good his threat. The police have investigated the case and found the man, Grey to be a decent sort of a young fellow. He refused to give information concerning the complaint if he knew anything about him. He said the letter was the working of a disordered mind.

Weather Indications.

(Special from United Press.)
New Haven, Jan. 21.--Forecast--Fair with continued mild temperature to-night and Friday.

A long ridge of high pressure extending from the Atlantic coast is producing pleasant weather east of the Mississippi river. From the Mississippi westward to the Pacific coast the pressure is low and much cloudy weather prevails with local rains. The temperature is mild in all sections.

WALL STREET TO-DAY.

(Special from United Press.)
11 a. m.--There was a firm tone in the market in the first hour. Leading railroad stocks generally moved up fractionally. Rock Island preferred moved up 3/4. There were good advances in a few specialties.

Noon.--Price movements all through the last half of the forenoon were narrow in range and without much change. General trading was firm.

The funeral of Henrietta Halsted wife of James H. Angeline was held yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 970 North avenue, the Rev. Gerald H. Beard and Rev. A. E. Davies officiating. Interment was in Mountain Grove cemetery.

Willing to End the Company.

A Chicago man who once permitted himself to be persuaded to back a theatrical company was seated in his office one day when he received a telegram from the manager of the show. The troupe was somewhere in Missouri, and the telegram read thus: "Train wrecked this morning and all scenery and baggage destroyed. No member of company injured. What shall I do?"

The answer sent back by the Chicago man was as follows:
"Try another wreck and have the company ride in the baggage car."--Chicago Record-Herald.

Gently Broken.

"You were a long time in the far corner of the conservatory last evening," suggested the mother. "What was going on?"

"Do you remember the occasion on which you became engaged to papa?" inquired the daughter by way of reply.

"Of course I do."
"Then it ought not to be necessary for you to ask any questions."
Thus gently the news was broken that they were to have a son-in-law.

Art of Eating.

Eating is not merely an enjoyment. It is a science that must be learned, an art that must be acquired by intelligent patience. The man who at middle age has not discovered what and how much is suitable for him has not finished his education.--Health.

Lots of Reasons.

Robbins--I don't see why any actor should ever be out of a job. Robbins--Why? Robbins--According to the advertisements, every good play is full of good situations.--Exchange.

London Street Noises.

A hundred years or so ago no punishment could have been worse than that of subjecting the victim to the inferno of modern London noises if they had then existed. Drooping we sat on the forehand, torturing with tweezers, setting food before the starving culprit--out of reach--all of these were exquisite and refined forms of horror, but they all pale before a night and a day in a modern London street.--Town and Country.

His Defense.

Cobbie--You certainly have a good cook. By the way, where do you get your servants? Stone--From our neighbors. When we hear of a good one among them we offer her more money to come with us. Cobbie--But, my dear fellow, is that honorable? Stone--Why not? Can you develop a sense of honor with a poor digestion?--Life.

Quite a Difference.

First Comedian--What's the difference between a beautiful young girl and a codfish? Second Comedian--Give it up. First Comedian--One has a chance to become a fall bride and the other to become a ball fried.--Brooklyn Eagle.

Superabundance.

"Did that manager discover any humor in your play?"
"Yes," answered the gloomy author. "He said the whole thing was a joke."--Exchange.

The Best Lullabies.

The motherly woman who has raised half a dozen children can beat all the divas that ever "dove" at singing lullabies that really lull.--Galveston News.

Ben Franklin was the oldest signer of the Declaration of Independence.

CHICKEN BONES
NOT EVIDENCEKosa Could Not Identify the
Bones Found At James
Dean's Tent as Belonging to
Him.

James Dean, one of the west end tent dwellers who was held on suspicion of stealing John Kosa's chickens was discharged in the city court this morning. Kosa could not identify, to the satisfaction of the court, the chicken bones found in the Dean tent as those taken from his chickens. The snow had melted and the bloody trail which Patrolman Bulkley followed from the place where the chickens were killed to the tent in the woods near Wordin avenue had been obliterated. Time and nature combined to free Dean from the heinous charge. Dean took up his clam basket and digger which had been arrested with him and departed with joy in his heart and a full stomach acquired during his term of his incarceration. George his brother was discharged two days ago. The brothers will not return to their tent home in the woods but will seek other quarters. The father is at Lakeview home.

The will of Magdalena Harter, deceased, was admitted to probate yesterday. The testatrix bequeaths all of her property to her husband, August Harter, who qualified as executor. Alfred Griesinger and Charles Schmidt qualified as appraisers.

"My Boy Would
Cough All Night"But Since Taking Father
John's Medicine He Does
Not Cough at All!

"My little boy, Leon, had whooping cough and after getting over it, he still had a very bad cough," said M. S. E. E. Jackson of Cliftondale, recently. "Every night after supper, he would have a bad coughing spell, accompanied by nausea, and would cough continually all night. A friend told me about Father John's Medicine. I gave it to him, and before he had taken half a small-sized bottle, the nausea stopped. He is on his second bottle now, and does not cough hardly at all." (Signed) Mrs. E. E. Jackson, 10 Jackson St., Cliftondale, Mass.

THING & CO'S
UNLOADING SALEWOMEN'S SHOES
50cFelt lace shoes with leather
slippers, with shoes found
75c kind. All sizes, at 50c

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